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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Director

FROM: John L. Helgerson
Director of Congressional Affairs

SUBJECT: Proposed telephone call to Chairman Bill Chappell

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Rep Chappell

1. George Tenet has passed to me a request from Senator Boren that you telephone Bill Chappell, Chairman of the Defense Subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee (225-4035) to urge favorable action on the Bill that will fund our enhancements for Arms Control Monitoring.

2. [] I believe the following talking points would be appropriate for use with Mr. Chappell. 25X1

- We understand the bill providing for our arms control enhancement package is now in conference.

- This package will provide necessary funds for important new collection systems, and equipment for improved processing and analysis of our increasing amounts of technical data. 25X1

- As Bob Gates mentioned when he talked with you some weeks ago, we urge favorable consideration of the enhancement package.

- The Intelligence Community has done their homework and endorses the components of this package (it has not been forced on us by the Senate!).

- We understand the two Intelligence Committees have approved this measure and that your staff has been briefed.

- If you would like any additional specific information, I will have [] of our Intelligence Community staff come by at your convenience. 25X1

3. As this measure is now in conference, Senator Boren has noted that an early call would be most helpful.

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